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As a below named inventor, I hereby declare that:

My residence, post office address, and citizenship are as stated below next to my name,

I believe I am an original, first, and joint inventor of the subject matter that is claimed and for which a patent is sought on the invention entitled

FUNCTIONAL ROLL FILM AND VACUUM EVAPORATION APPARATUS

| CAPABLE OF PRODUCING THE FUNCTIONAL ROLL | FILM |
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| the specification of which | |

| x is attached hereto. | · |
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| was filed onand amended on | as Application Serial No (if applicable). |

I hereby state that I have reviewed and understand the contents of the above identified specification, including the claims.

I acknowledge the duty to disclose information which is material to the examination of this application in accordance with Title 37, Code of Federal Regulations, § 1.56(a).

PRIOR FOREIGN APPLICATION(S)

I hereby claim foreign priority benefits under Title 35, United States Code, § 119 of any foreign application(s) for patent or inventor's certificate listed below and have also identified below any foreign application for patent or inventor's certificate having a filing date before that of the application on which priority is claimed:

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| COUNTRY | APPLICATION NUMBER | DATE OF FILING (day, month, year) | DATE OF ISSUE (day, month, year) | PRIORITY CLAIMED UNDER 35 U.S.C. § 119 |
| Japan | 11-032129 | 10/Feb/1999 | | Yes |
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| I hereby claim the benefit under title 35, United States Code, § 120 of any United |
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| States application(s) listed below and, insofar as the subject matter of each of the claims of this |
| application is not disclosed in the prior United States application in the manner provided by the |
| first paragraph of Title 35, United States Code, § 112, I acknowledge the duty to disclose |
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